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Georgetown's Compares Favorably
With West Virginia's Eleven

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Against West Virginia Hilltop
Men Score More Than 17 Times

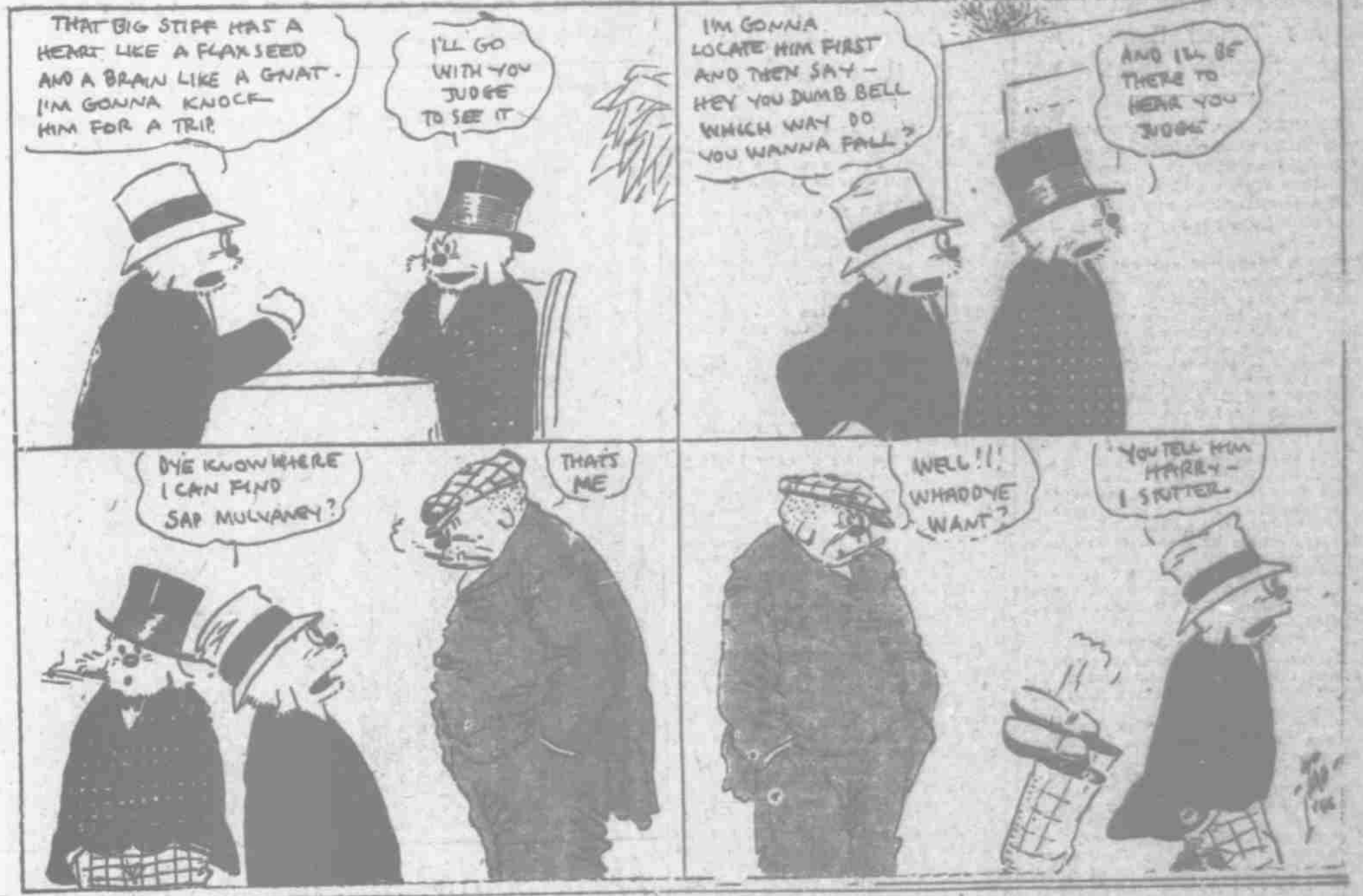
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Leave It to the Judge



LOOKING 'EM OVER

BY LOUIS A. DOUGHER

In winning from West Virginia Wesleyan Saturday, 17 to 0, Georgetown did much better than many of its supporters expected. Wesleyan came to Washington with seven regulars from its 1917 eleven, an aggregation which defeated West Virginia University in the concluding contest of the campaign, 20 to 0. In achieving that victory, Wesleyan did better than Navy, Pittsburgh, Dartmouth, Rutgers, or Washington and Jefferson.

Pittsburgh opened the 1917 campaign with West Virginia and only after a terrific struggle was able to win, 14 to 9. The Mountaineers, a week later, defeated the Middies, 7 to 0, largely through the fine running of Harry Harris, a Washington boy. Dartmouth defeated West Virginia two weeks later, 6 to 2. Rutgers was held to a 7-to-7 tie, while W. and J. was defeated, 7 to 0. Then came the battle with Wesleyan, the Buckhannon brigade triumphing, 20 to 0.

Out of that 1917 line-up Wesleyan played here Saturday Snedegar, Fisher, Tschappatt, and Beck, while three more sat on the sidelines. Beck was the 1917 captain. West Virginia Wesleyan came here Saturday rather confident of winning. It believed itself possessed of the best team since the days of Jack Kellison and "Greasy" Neale. True, Pete Celar was gone, but with Radman and Jobovics in the backfield, West Virginia expected to run away from the Blue and Gray.

They Don't Scare. One of the excellent traits of Georgetown football eleven is that they don't scare for a darn. The reputation of the enemy means little or nothing to the Hilltoppers. It is true that the Navy always wins, but Georgetown always goes over to Annapolis expecting to return victorious. Old Dohie has a powerful eleven this season, but "Wamba" McQuade's gang will go over there next month expecting to win, just the same.

Georgetown did not know of this comparison of Wesleyan and West Virginia in 1917, or that Wesleyan had many veterans of that '17 eleven in its line-up. It wouldn't have made any difference, anyway. The Hilltoppers had been warned that Snedegar, that long-legged and most active quarterback, would carry the ball and that Radman and Jobovics were speedy as the wind, but no worries followed across the creek.

The first period Saturday proved that Georgetown had not been warned of the unusual strength of the Wesleyan forwards. The Hilltoppers expended much effort trying to batter a way through the Wesleyan line during the first half. Failure was their only reward, for the visitors showed a powerful set of forwards while they were fresh.

Speedsters Were Stopped. However, those two speedsters in the backfield, Radman and Jobovics, were stopped dead. Two men laid for Jobovics and the little fellow—

What Georgetown Has Done So Far

Georgetown has played and won three games thus far, scoring 108 points to 7 against it. Here are the totals: Georgetown, 58; Portsmouth Navy Yard, 7; Georgetown, 33; Norfolk Naval Base, 0; Georgetown, 17; West Virginia Wesleyan, 0.

He is big and fast, with tremendous strength in his arms. As soon as he got into the lineup, he began tearing holes wide enough for an army truck. Georgetown has a large squad, but there will be need of every man in it before the season ends. In these days of the weight to first string or second string. In the old days when a man could not return to the line-up, once he left it, the first string men remained in as long as possible. Therefore, many players continued in action from the first to the final whistle. Nowadays, though, we see a player continually pulled out and sent back when their freshness increases their speed against a tiring opponent. Accordingly, a whole flock of players at Georgetown will see their names in the lineups of the games yet to be played.

There is still a chance for a good kicker to make himself a regular with Exile's eleven. McQuade did better than expected against Wesleyan, but thus far no Hilltopper seems able to tear off 10 or 25 yards every time he boots the leather. Not since Harry Camello's time has Georgetown possessed a really high-class punter. Therefore, if any youngster in the squad thinks he can punt, let him punt, for that'll be the best way for him to attract the attention of the coach.

JOE LYNCH WILL BATTLE HERMAN FOR BANTY TITLE

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 14.—Promoter Dominick Totorich has selected Joe Lynch as bantamweight champion. Pete Hermann's opponent, in a fight to be staged at the Louisiana auditorium Thanksgiving Day. The selection of Lynch was made after Pat Moore's manager refused to consent to an elimination bout between Lynch and Moore. Hermann is guaranteed \$11,000 for the fight.

Nobody Believes Him. Old Dohie, the Navy coach, makes such a long face and talks so gloomily about the prospects of his eleven that nobody believes him. As a matter of fact, the Navy has one of the strongest lines in the country and a backfield that could hold its own anywhere.

ROBERTS BLOWS IT. NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 14.—Al Roberts, touted as the likeliest opponent of Jack Dempsey for world's championship, blew up with a loud bang last night when he was lucky to stay eight rounds with Charlie Wren, the Newark heavyweight. Roberts was outboxed, out-punched and outgamed.

VETERANS TO ATTEND. Wounded veterans from Walter Reed and the Naval Hospital will attend Georgetown University football games through special arrangement with the O. U. authorities and Knights of Columbus Committee on War Activities.

TENDLER MAKES GOOD. Wounded title holder Stanley Tendler quit in four rounds Friday night in December. This is something Benny Leonard was unable to do in ten rounds.

DEMPEY BREATHES RIGHT THESE DAYS

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Jack Dempsey is ready to fight. He has recovered completely from the operation upon his nose, which he underwent a few weeks ago, and the nasal organ will not stand in the way of him accepting any matches which come his way.

Yesterday Dr. H. W. Goddard, who performed the operation, announced that Dempsey had responded rapidly to treatment and that the operation was a complete success. Dempsey was in the city last week and just before departing said: "I didn't know there was so much sin in the world. I can now fight fifty rounds and never get tired. That had nose hurt my breathing in Toledo, but I'm not afraid of my endurance now."

JACKSON WILLING TO FACE LEONARD

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—"Yes, Jackson will meet Benny Leonard, six rounds, ten rounds, or over the distance, preferring the last," said Frank Bagley, Willie Jackson's manager. This morning when asked if he would accommodate Billy Gibson's challenge on behalf of the champion weight, he said: "But, the weight must be no more than 135 pounds, ring-side, I will not agree to a match at 135 pounds, weigh in at 2 o'clock."

COLUMBIA'S GOLF EVENT ATTRACTS

Columbia Country Club holds its annual golf tournament starting Thursday at which time the qualifying round will be held. Entries for the annual fall classic close tonight. According to information given out today, several of the best players in the country can be expected to compete for honors here, starting Thursday. J. Wood Platt, of Philadelphia, who defeated Francis Ouimet at which time the best players in the country can be expected to compete for honors here, starting Thursday. J. Wood Platt, of Philadelphia, who defeated Francis Ouimet at which time the best players in the country can be expected to compete for honors here, starting Thursday. J. Wood Platt, of Philadelphia, who defeated Francis Ouimet at which time the best players in the country can be expected to compete for honors here, starting Thursday.

LEONARD WILL ENGAGE JOHNNY DUNDEE AGAIN

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Benny Leonard, world's lightweight champion, and Johnny Dundee, his most persistent challenger, are to fight a twelve-round bout in a few days for a fifteen-round bout to a decision.

Joe Mulvihill, Connecticut promoter, is bidding for the bout as a Thanksgiving attraction. Leonard and Dundee have met seven times.

EDDIE MAHAN ON JOB. CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 14.—Eddie Mahan takes charge of the Harvard kickers today. He will not play any professional football though flooded with handsome offers.

HARRY GREB WINNER. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 14.—Harry Greb, the Pittsburgh middleweight, easily outboxed Sallor Petrovsky in six rounds at the Olympia last night.

CENTRAL WILL PLAY. Central will play Episcopal at Alexandria on Saturday afternoon. The game is an annual affair.

WILL HAVE BUT ONE. Mohawk A. C. players have decided to have but one eleven this fall. There was a possibility of supporting a junior and senior organization.

BROOKLANDERS WILL GET WORKOUT WITH MARINES

Catholic University football players under Coach Tom Tracey and Assistant Coach Smith, who was on the League Island Navy Yard team last fall, stacked up against the Quantico Marines at Brookland today in the first real tussle for the Brooklanders. The contest will be in the nature of a practice game and from indications will not assume the proportions of a real contest.

The Brooklanders have had a most disappointing start this fall. Two games counted upon to bring out the candidates were canceled. Mt. St. Joseph's and Randolph-Macon canceled. So far the Brooklanders have another open date and it begins to look as though the season would be a small one.

The team is lighter than any that has represented the institution in years. Although thirty-five candidates have been working out for two weeks Coach Tracey has not definitely settled on a team until he has seen the men under fire.

The Brooklanders have one veteran in Jack Glascoff, who, by the way, is one of the best all-around athletes in the colleges today. Glascoff is a first-class football player, was captain and guard on the basketball team, played centerfield in baseball, is a crack half-miler, and is no slouch when it comes to taking part in a pentathlon, which he did at Penn last spring.

During the past two weeks Coach Tracey has built a first eleven and one that will be capable of doing good things when sufficient experience is obtained in games. Athletic Director Charles Moran has been burning up the wires these past weeks in the effort to land games for his team. The Brooklanders have battles with Muhlenberg, Villanova, West Virginia Wesleyan, Maryland State, and Gallaudet later on.

The big game comes Thanksgiving Day, when the West Virginia Wesleyan team is met at Charleston, W. Va.

GROSS IS ELECTED TO LEAD AT TECH

Johnny Gross, high school half-mile champion, and last year's track captain at Tech, has been re-elected to lead the Manual Trainers on the cinder path again this season. Gross has been almost invincible over the half-mile and mile route. He won handily in these races, indoors and out, and showed himself to be one of the best distance runners ever developed in the schools here.

Gross is in his senior year at Tech. He was chosen to lead the track team at a meeting yesterday.

SCHOOLS TO WATCH CENTRAL'S ELEVEN

High school football teams are watching Central's eleven closely. The Mount Pleasant lads have won three titles in a row in football. Last year there was practically no football, although Western and Central got together in one contest, the Mount Pleasant lads won by a touchdown. It was the first time the Central goal line had been crossed in three years by a local high school eleven.

This year Central Western and Technical appear to be fairly well matched. In the first game of the season Western dropped a 12-to-6 score to Episcopal High, and Tech scored to Episcopal High by 9 to 7. There appeared to be little to choose between Tech and Western despite the scores.

Central romped through the Charlotte Hall eleven in its first game by 25 to 7, and then defeated Baltimore Poly by 14 to 0, although the score is no indication of the closeness of the contest.

On the high school eleven this season are green football players. The teams appear to be well matched, as both Episcopal and Eastern, not counting the running, are apt to spring several surprises.

GUNNERS TO PRACTICE. Naval Gun Factory players will practice today on the Recreation Field at 5:30 p. m.

SERIES OFFICIALS FAIL IN DEMANDS

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—Instead of being granted their demand for \$1,000 additional for their services during the world's series, the umpires been allowed an extra \$250 and various expenses from Chicago to their various destinations. Messrs. Evans, Nallin, Rigler, and Quigley were promised \$1,000, but asked an extra \$1,000. Garry Herrmann, chairman of the national commission, conferred with President Heydler and Dan Johnson. The Cincinnati club has given Pat Moran a bonus of \$5,000 for winning the National League pennant and also added some money to the shares of Hank Schrader and Charlie See, substitute players.

MITCHELL STICKS AS CUBS' LEADER

CHICAGO, Oct. 14.—Hoot stove leaguers already have mounted the rostrum, although the active baseball season ended only two days ago. Foremost among the questions now under discussion is the future of Fred Mitchell, manager of the Cubs.

Reports were put in circulation three weeks ago hinting that the spring of 1920 would see Bill Killefer at the head of the North Side machine as successor to Mitchell. Today the yarn was revived.

Inasmuch as Owner William Wrigley, Jr., and President William I. Wertz, have emphatically stated that Mitchell will again boss the Bruins, this story is regarded as a blunder. Mitchell still owns a contract with the Cubs which entitles him to continue in the managerial role for another season, and the North Side powers that be are not considering him for the failure of the Cubs to finish higher than third, especially with Alexander, Killefer, Hollneger and Taylor all out of commission at various times during the flag race.

ARMY IS POWERFUL. Football followers now believe that Col. Charlie Daly will have a powerful eleven to oppose the Middies next month. To hold the strong Syracuse team to a single touchdown argues for a capable Army team.

PLAN TO ENLARGE YANKS' BALL PARK

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Plans are now under consideration to enlarge the Polo Grounds for next season so that the Bronx Stadium will have a seating capacity of 40,000 spectators. At various times during the last few seasons the crowds have been so large at several of the games that it has been necessary to stop the sale of tickets.

The need of enlarged stands was evident during the final Cincinnati series last season, when 16,940 spectators were left outside at one of the games. At the world's series of 1917 thousands of fans were disappointed and it has practically been decided by the National Exhibition Company to increase the seating capacity before next season starts. The double-decked stand in left field was not completed when the stadium was reconstructed, and the first work will be to make an addition to this stand which will carry it far out into left field. The style of construction will be the same as in the present stand. It is also probable that the stand in right field will be extended. It is the plan of the owners to make additions from time to time until the entire field is surrounded by steel and concrete stands. The additions which are contemplated here and there will provide for at least 10,000 spectators.

OFFICIALS PICKED FOR SCHOOL GAMES

Football officials for the high school title games have been selected. At a meeting of the faculty athletic advisers last night Sam Vance, of Castle Hill, H. Batterbury, of Swarthmore; John Dugan, of Swarthmore; M. Apple, of Minneapolis; Lieut. Comdr. E. S. Land, of the Navy; Bryan Morse, of Swarthmore; and H. Journal, of Springfield, were chosen to work the games.

Bryan Morse, L. H. Batterbury, and John Dugan were picked to work the Technical-Eastern game of Friday. E. S. Land, of Eastern High School, is the new faculty athletic adviser representing the Capital High school.

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